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A FEW REPTILES AND FISHES FROM BATANGA, WEST AFRICA.

A small lot of the more important food-fishes and some reptiles were obtained in this part of the Cameroons some years ago by the Rev. R. H. Nassau, and sent to Princeton University. Recently they were placed in my hands by Mr. C. F. Silvester, for determination.

FISHES.

Hexanematichthys latiscutatus (G ü n t h e r), "Hume" or "H-me." *Caranx africanus* (Steindachner), "Epakapaka." *Vomer setapinnis* (Mitchill). *Pomadasis jubelini* (Valenciennes), "Nyawa" or "Nijawe." *Pseudotolithus typus* Bleeker, "Une" or "Uve." *Periophthalmus koelreuteri* (Pallas).

REPTILES.

Dendraspis viridis (Hallowell), "Okenja." *Dendraspis jamesonii* (Schlegel). *Hapsidophrys lineata* Fischer. *Mabuya perrotetii* (Duméril and Bibron). *Varanus niloticus* (Linn.). *Agama colonorum*, Daudin. *Chamaeleo dilepis*, Leach. *Crocodilus niloticus*, Linn.

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